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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce C. A. BENTON as a candidate for Assessor of Lafayette County, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election, August 6, 1912.

We are authorized to announce DR. J. Q. COPE as a candidate for Coroner of Lafayette County, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 6, 1912.

We are authorized to announce WM. LULL, JR., as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Lafayette County, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 6, 1912.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES HACKLEY as a candidate for Assessor of Lafayette County, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 6, 1912.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. WADDELL as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff subject to the action of the voters at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce C. L. KENNEY as a candidate for Assessor of Lafayette County, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election Tuesday, August 6, 1912.

We are authorized to announce IKE NOYES as a candidate for Treasurer of Lafayette County, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election Tuesday, August 6, 1912.

We are authorized to announce CLARENCE VIVION as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Lafayette County, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election Tuesday, August 6, 1912.

We are authorized to announce IRVING WITHERS as a candidate for Sheriff subject to the action of the voters at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce J. R. PLATTENBURG as a candidate for Assessor of Lafayette County, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election Tuesday, August 6, 1912.

The various Roosevelt committees during the recent primary in New York spent exactly \$70,639.00. That's going some for a poor defender of people's rights. The steel trust no doubt is willing to put that much in every state for its friend and benefactor.

Central College.

Miss Josephine Shelton, a candidate for graduation from the School of Expression of Central College for Women, will give a recital Thursday evening, May 2, in Murrell Auditorium. The public is cordially invited.

Waverly Notes.

Mrs. Lewis Zumalt and little daughter are visiting relatives in Kansas City.

Frank Feagan of Warrensburg is transacting business at this place.

Saul Phillips and Earnest Cross of Kirksville, were in town several days last week.

Ed Barnard returned Saturday from an extended stay in Weir, Kansas.

Robert Orear and family of Sweet Springs were called here the first of the week by the death of Mrs. Orear's mother, Mrs. M. L. White.

Mrs. J. J. Robertson and son of Mt. Leonard attended the funeral of Mrs. Maria White here Tuesday.

Mrs. Priscilla Baer returned last week from an extended visit with her niece, Mrs. James Wheeler, at Okmulgee, Okla.

Miss Clarice Williamson returned Friday from Napton, where she taught a successful term of school this year.

N. J. Gordon came in from Kansas City with his new automobile, a Carter car. He was accompanied by J. W. Hayes and Clayt Landrum.

Miss Florence Williamson spent last week in Marshall.

Died Friday at the home of his son, Mr. James Coslet. Death was due to heart trouble.

Mr. Coslet is survived by four sons, Wm., Chas. and Jas. Coslet, all of this city and Geo. Coslet of Little Rock, Arkansas. Mr. Coslet is a veteran of the civil war, having served three years and six months. The funeral was held at the Methodist church Friday afternoon. Burial was held in the Waverly cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Lamar Bodsworth.

Mrs. Maria L. White died Sunday night at her home in Waverly of pneumonia. She is survived by two sons and three daughters: Hugh and S. J. White, Mrs. Lige Frazier and Mrs. W. P. Milnor, all of this city, and Mrs. Robert Orear of Sweet Springs. The funeral services conducted by Rev. Lamar Bodsworth, were held at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon. Interment was in the Waverly cemetery.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds filed in the Recorder's office of Lafayette County, Mo., week ending Saturday, April 20, 1912. Compiled by Lafayette County Abstract Company, Lexington, Mo., Ike H. Noyes, Manager. Abstracts and Farm loans.

Richard Fletcher by Shff. to E. W. Kleeschulte Trs. Deed \$38. Lot 9, block 3, Corder's Addition to Alma.

Johann Flucke to Jhs. B. and Minnie P. Nance W. D. \$225. 3 A. taken off North end of 36 taken off North end of 36 acres the S. end E. 1/2, NW. 1/4, 31-51-27.

Ethel Bray to O. W. Wilcoxson Q. C. D. \$125 1/2 int. in lots 8 and 9, block 5, Buckingham and Cos. Add. to Lexington.

TRIED SEVEN DOCTORS

My Life Saved by Pe-ru-na.

Mr. S. S. Johnson, Greenville, Ill., writes: "I was for five years troubled with catarrh. Two years ago I had one foot in the grave. I had tried seven doctors and also went to a catarrh specialist in St. Louis, and took several kinds of medicine a day. I could not walk more than a hundred yards without resting. 'My friends told me to take Peruna, and I did so. I now feel that Peruna has saved my life. It is the best medicine on earth, and I would not be without it.'"



Mr. S. S. Johnson.

Chas. N. Orear to R. L. Orear W. D. \$3,500 1/2 int. in E. 1/2 NE. 1/4 and E. 1/2 W. 1/2, 1-51-24.

Peter M. LeNoach and wife to Nellie Long W. D. \$550, part lot 18, Farmers Bank Sub. c-1, the Gratz Place.

Andrew Jackson to Geo. T. W. D. \$400, lots 3, 4 and 5, block 4 Mayview.

John Mulhearn to Chas. Mulhearn et al W. D. \$540, and 1-7 int. in 320 A. W. 1/2 NE. 1/4, E 1/2 SW. 1/2 NW. 1/4, E. 1/2 11-50-26.

J. A. Woestemeyer to Mrs. Mary Riepe W. D. \$1,000, 50 ft. off E. side, lot 3, block 4, Korthanke & Hoefler's Sub. of Higginsville.

Edward Dean et al. to Catherine D. Gavin W. D. \$100, lots 5 and 36, Original Lexington.

Paul J. Heister to Chas. S. McDowell W. D. \$500, lot 1, block 3, Patterson's & Smith's Add. Odessa.

Abigail Jackson to John T. Jackson W. D. \$75, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, block J, Bates City.

Lee F. Benning to Paul J. Heister W. D. \$2000, lots 3, Patterson and Smith's Add. Odessa.

Chas. Hoefler and wife to Kate S. Dillard W. D. \$7,000, lots 2 and 2 feet off N. side lot 3, block J, Original Higginsville.

Alexander Denton to John A. Mann W. D. \$2,100, lot 7 and 16 feet off E. side lot 8, Original Wellington.

Lafayette Phone Co. to The Citizens Telephone Co. W. D. \$6,750, Higginsville Mo. Phone Exchange including all poles, wires and fixtures of every kind and character.

Ed Aull and M. D. Wilson to Herman Bruns W. D. \$200, lot 3, block 5, South Side Add. Lexington.

Kate S. Dillard to Chas. Hoefler W. D. \$7,000 lot 2, except 10 feet off E. side thereof and lot 3 except 10 feet off W. side all in block 1, Taubman's Add. Lexington.

To Postal Depositors.

1. By applying on or before June 1, 1912, depositors of the Postal Savings System may exchange the whole or a part of their deposits for United States registered or coupon bonds in denominations of \$20, \$100, and \$500, bearing interest from July 1, 1912, at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and redeemable at the pleasure of the United States after one year from the date of issue, both principal and interest payable 20 years from that date in United States gold coin.

2. Postal savings bonds are exempt from all taxes or duties of the United States, as well as from taxation in any form by or under State, municipal, or local authority.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Baskett spent yesterday in Kansas City.

PITH PRODUCTS IN DEMAND

Article of Commercial Importance is Now Being Exported From Formosa.

A Japanese merchant of Taipeh has forwarded to the United States, through Commercial Agent Lovett A. Wood, some stalks of pith, together with samples of paper, card, and other articles made therefrom by the savages of Formosa.

The pith is from a shrub growing less than two feet tall, and is as light as a feather. It is gathered by the savages and in a most marvelous manner the lengths of about ten inches are pared round with a knife, producing sheets that are smooth and uniform in thickness. England is now importing quantities of this pith paper to make artificial flowers for ladies' hats. The oily nature of the pith when it is shaved into paper facilitates the coloring of the flowers.

The pith is also used for the tops of the helmets so much worn by men in the tropics during the hot months, when the sun's rays are dangerous, particularly to tourists, and for the additional reason that the pith hat can be made for very much less than the cork helmet.

AS A WOMAN THINKETH.

Talk about the power of mind over matter, did you ever hear of thinking yourself small?

That's what Charlotte Walker does in "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine." Miss Walker is not a short woman, nor thin.

She is quite five feet eight inches tall and built in proportion. Yet, as June Tolliver, she gives the impression of smallness. Her explanation is:

"I think myself tiny. I know June is young and slight and lithe, and so I put myself into the mental attitude of being young and slight and lithe, and if I succeed in making my audience see me so, it is all because I think so hard."

How about a mental obesity cure?



FIREPROOF.

Many persons remember the old reservoir which stood on Beacon hill, a massive stone structure occupying the land on which the state house extension was built. Several years ago the chief of the Paris fire department and a colonel in the French army visited Boston to make a study of fire risks, says the Traveler. Just before leaving Boston he called on the late Fire Chief William A. Greene and asked him if there were any fire-proof structures in Boston. "Only one," quickly replied Mr. Greene, "the reservoir on Beacon hill, and I'm not quite sure of that."

THE MYSTERY SOLVED.

Marjory (interrupting conversation)—I say, Mr. Driveller, I know where babies come from now!

The Curate (much embarrassed)—Indeed?

Marjory—Yes, from the dairy, 'cos they've got a notice on their window, "Families Supplied Daily."

—London Sketch.

POINT OF VIEW.

"I can't understand why a man of his culture and intelligence should have married such a silly creature," she said.

"What I can't understand," he replied, "is why such a pretty girl should have consented to become the wife of such a solemn prig as he."

QUARREL DISCREET.

"Why do you employ such elaborate circumlocution when you tell a man that you doubt his veracity?"

"I find it better to use the longest words possible. If I can compel a man to consult the dictionary to ascertain just what I mean both our tempers get a chance to cool."

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AT SPECIAL SALE

25 pieces 4-4 Carpets at 17, 23, 29, 43, 49, 62 and 68c
8 pieces 3-4 Carpets, 75c ones for 62c
90c ones for 75c
\$1.00 ones for 80c
Room Rugs, 9x12, \$11 ones for \$8.50
Room Rugs, 9x12, \$13 ones for \$10.50
Room Rugs, 9x12, \$19 and \$20 ones for \$16.50
Room Rugs, 9x12, \$25 ones for \$21.00
Room Rugs, 9x12, \$28 ones for \$22.00
Room Rugs, 6x9, \$10 ones for \$5.00
Room Rugs, 10 6 and 13 6, \$27 ones for \$22.00
Fiber Mattings, 30c ones for 25c; 35c ones for 28c
Jap Mattings, 25c ones for 19c; 35c ones for 25c
Lace Curtains worth \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50 \$4.00 and up to \$10.00 less 20 per cent or one-fifth off.

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